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## Activities of Commencement Week Begin Sunday Afternoon, May 25

Alumni Banquet to Be Held  
Wednesday Night Before  
Commencement Day.

Seniors to Have Breakfast

Graduating Students to Be Given  
Examinations During Week  
Preceding Graduation.

An announcement has been made of the events for the Class of 1947 for the remainder of the calendar year. The climax of these events will be the commencement exercises to be held Thursday, May 29, at 10 o'clock in the College Auditorium.

On Sunday, May 25, at 4 o'clock, baccalaureate services will be held in the College Auditorium. A senior breakfast at Residence Hall and senior class day activities are planned for Monday, May 26.

Tuesday, May 27, a reception for the senior class will be held at the home of President and Mrs. J. W. Jones.

An alumni banquet has been scheduled for Wednesday, May 28. Final examinations for seniors will be given Thursday and Friday, May 22-23.

Paul Wilson of Columbus, Georgia, is the acting president of the class; Clara Judson of St. Joseph is secretary; and Jeanne Stewart of Hamburg, Iowa, is treasurer.

Miss Mattie M. Dykes of the English department is the business sponsor of the class and Mr. Ralph E. Hartzell, chairman of the Music department, is the social sponsor of the class. Members of the committee arranging commencement activities are the following: Miss Dykes, general chairman of the committee; Mrs. Elaine Lemaster Mauley of the Foreign Language department; Mr. Sterling Surrey, chairman of the Commerce department; Mr. Clifford Kensing of the Commerce department; and Mrs. Ramona Canton, chairman of the Speech department.

## Club Members Hear Two Give Reports

Home Economics Women  
Tell About Kansas City  
and St. Joseph Trips.

The regular meeting of the Home Economics club was held on Monday evening, March 24, at the Home Management House with the president, Phyllis Butts, presiding. A nominating committee composed of Sarah Espey, Helen Lewis, and Eloise Harryman was appointed. Plans were discussed for a May day breakfast to be held on Sunday morning, April 27. Mary Loyce Rockwell was appointed chairman of the breakfast committee.

Highlights of the evening were special reports by Eloise Harryman and Mary Loyce Rockwell. Miss Harryman told of her experiences in Kansas City on March 7 with the Home Economics group on business tour. The principal objective of the tour was to interest junior and senior girls in the different fields of home economics, such as radio, management of tea rooms, textiles, etc.

Miss Harryman told of a skit that was presented as part of the day's program on "How To and How Not To Get a Job." Characters dramatized were Miss Prissy, who had a high school standing but no outside interest; Miss Minnie Mouse, who was a meek and mild applicant; and Miss Jukeite, who was the ideal applicant in grooming and personality. The following requirements for obtaining a position were emphasized: (1) learning to be aggressive, (2) having a genuine interest, (3) forgetting that one is a college graduate and learning to get along with people, for 75 per cent of success is just that, (4) having good manners and courtesy, (5) enjoying some form of recreation outside working hours.

Joanne Taylor, a shopper for the John Taylor store in Kansas City, spoke on "Fashions Coming and Becoming," continued Miss Harryman. According to Miss Taylor, the fashion trend this spring is for one to dress in the style most becoming to the wearer. Miss Taylor said that dresses are longer, fifteen inches from the floor for the average woman. Purses are back to the hand, not shoulder bags. Shoulders are returning to normal, replacing the exaggerated effect popular in past seasons.

Mary Rockwell reported on the meeting of the Missouri State Home Economics Association held in St. Joseph on Saturday, March 22. The college clubs section met at Central High School in the morning and then joined the general business meeting of home economics at the Y. W. C. A. in the afternoon. Marilyn Partridge of the College was elected new state president of college home economics clubs by the college section.

## Mr. Neece Will Attend Convention in Omaha

Mr. H. V. Neece, business manager of the Northwest Missouri State Teachers College, will attend a convention of the Educational Buyers' Association, in Omaha, Nebraska, Nebraska, April 30-May 3.

On Friday afternoon, May 2, Mr. Neece will act as panel chairman at a closed session of the convention, a session limited to bona fide college administrators. Topics for discussion will include science laboratory equipment and supplies, office machines and supplies, paper, athletic equipment and supplies, and centralized food purchasing. Purchasing agents from the University of California, New York University, Duke University, Miami University, and the University of Iowa will participate in the panel discussion.

## Hindo Speaker Is Aware of Problems

Speaker Is Certain India Is  
Capable of Solving Her  
Own Difficulties.

Dr. S. Chandra Sekhar was introduced to the College faculty and students by Dr. John Harr of the Social Science department of the College, Friday, March 28, in a special assembly.

Speaking on the subject, "The Minority Problem in India," Dr. Sekhar maintained that the Indians and the British are having a political quarrel in New Delhi, India's Washington, D. C. Out of this argument, he believes, will come the decision as to what policy will be followed in consideration of India's freedom. He said that India will probably get control of her own political destiny in 1948.

He implied that there are three major problems in India. First, he said, is the question of whether or not India can defend herself in case of invasion. Japan might move in from the coast or "Uncle Joe" might come down from the north. However, he argued, that doesn't mean that she should have her freedom. Just because Germany might go into France and take her over doesn't mean that she should be under English domination. Give the Indians a chance.

The second problem is what to do with the princes that rule about two-fifths of India. Dr. Sekhar suggested that when a prince dies, the remainder of the country could annex his section except that he always leaves a favorite son to rule. "We might shoot them, he said, but I'm afraid that would not be very practical either."

The third problem is the one of India's minorities. Dr. Sekhar said that actually there is not a minority problem in politics but that the minority problem arises out of religion. India has all kinds of religion and this fact presents a problem because a person believes, in India, the same about politics that he does about a religion. If religion were to be removed from politics, there would be no minority problem in India.

He said that there is no discrimination in India but many prejudices. However, he said that the problem of the minorities must be solved within the country without outside help.

Dr. Sekhar stated that the caste system is weakening in India. About the only way that this system is (Continued on Page Four)

## C. B. A. Gives Mock Trial During Regular Meeting

The commerce business organization presented a mock trial at their meeting Tuesday night, March 25. Louis Watkins sued Darrell Foster for injury resulting from food served by Foster. Andy Anderson forced Foster to execute a note and mortgage in settlement. Foster tried to set aside the note because he was forced by Anderson to sign it.

Louise Straight, a gum chewing cashier; Mary Apley, Foster's forty-six year old cook; and Una Claypool, bookkeeper for Foster, were witnesses for the plaintiff. The defendant's witnesses were Andy Anderson, a toughy; Rjean Black, quick doctor, and Shirley Sue Stevens, a flirty bobby-soxer.

The lawyers—Raymond McClurg, Gene Polk, Harvey Lund and Charlotte Spainhower—kept the witnesses and the audience in suspense. Judge Surrey kept the court room in order so that the trial could proceed. The jury reached the verdict of guilty. Poor Watkins. The next meeting of the C. B. A. will be Tuesday night, April 15, with the Reverend Newton Thompson from Conception Abbey as the guest speaker of the evening. Everyone is welcome to attend.

## Remodeling Program Is Now in Progress

Many Improvements to  
Interior of College  
Are Being Made.

An extensive program to improve the appearance and efficiency of the College administration building is in progress. The work of remodeling of offices, refinishing of floors, painting and redecorating of walls is correlated with academic schedules to avoid interruption of the regular school program.

The most recently completed project is the new office of Extension and Placement Field Service. Open house for the members of the faculty and administration members was held on March 24. The members of the office including Mr. Everett W. Brown, director of Field Service; Mr. H. T. Phillips, member of the Committee on Recommendations; Miss Marie Bluel, secretary of the extension department; and Mrs. Elizabeth Matthews, secretary, took justifiable pride in showing their new quarters.

Glass is used extensively for partitions which divide the office space into a reception room, conference room, and a private office. The glass gives a modern appearance to the office and provides an even distribution of the light furnished by the new fluorescent equipment. The use of glass includes that in three French doors. The walls of the office are in a rose shade and the panels for the glass partitions are in a light ivory. The conference room is used by prospective employers for interviews with applicants and for other conferences.

In addition to providing a placement service, the office carries on correspondence and extension courses and public relations.

A new mimeographing department was created last fall to relieve the Commerce department of heavy printing responsibilities. Mrs. Evelyn Young, who is in charge of the new department, is able to do most of the work of printing schedules, tests, programs, and the multitude of forms used by the college. The printing of such forms was formerly done by the Commerce department with the assistance of student help. A new ABC Dick mimeographing machine was purchased by the College last August. Also in the office is a photostating machine purchased in 1943 to facilitate the handling of Navy records. Mrs. Young says that the total time required to reproduce permanent records is fifteen minutes. Forty-five minutes was the time required to type the records.

Still in the process of remodeling is the new play production laboratory. It is designed to present future teachers with problems of play production similar to those problems facing teachers in the field. Mrs. Ramona Canton, chairman of the Speech department says, "As the laboratory is to the chemistry room, this is to the speech department."

Work of the art department is evident in the student-faculty lounge where the walls have been painted with graduated values of blue-green to give the appearance of distance. The recent addition of two large concrete urns tends to give the lounge the appearance of an old Egyptian desert scene. A large mural in attractive colors portrays the different phases of college life.

## Announcement Is Made of College Summer Sessions

Spring Short Course at the College will begin on Monday, April 28, and will end on May 29. Summer Quarter starts June 3, and ends August 8.

Horace Mann Elementary School will open at the beginning of the summer session on June 3, and will close July 25. It will include the nursery school, the kindergarten, and grades one to eight.

Horace Mann High School will open at the beginning of the summer session, June 3, and close Friday, August 1.

## Campus Has Cooperative Independents Club

The Cooperative Independents Club has been reorganized on this campus after being discontinued for several years.

Meetings of the Independents are held on the second and fourth Wednesdays of every month. Special meetings and social events are held at intervals during each quarter.

"Throughout the school year the members of the club have performed various services for the campus. They have sponsored such projects as the snack bar for play night and the selling of programs at the football games."

The Independent Club has three major committees: social service, membership, and social. The respective chairmen are Bill Elam, John Parham, and Frances Frazier. Members of the Cooperative In-

## Student Association Election Friday, April 18

Candidates for Student President—  
RICHARD THOMAS  
JACK RUSSELL

Candidates for Student Vice-President—  
RICHARD APPELMAN  
JOAN MILLER

The annual spring contests for high schools of Northwest Missouri were brought to a grand finale Friday night with a musical program presented by bands and an orchestra in the State Teachers College Auditorium.

Grant City, Benton and Stanberry bands took No. 1 ratings. The Grant City band played "Under Double Eagle" (Wagner) and "If Thou Be Near" (Bach); Benton played "Independencia" (Hail), "Rendezvous" (Cassels) and "The Sanctuary of the Heart" (Ketelberg). The Stanberry band, which performed in the afternoon events, played "El Capitan" (Sousa) and "Rainbow."

Bands receiving No. 2 ratings were Albany, which played "Morning, Noon and Night" (Fillmore); Mound City, which presented "Salute to Washington" (Kiefer) and "Aldo" (McCaughy); and Oregon, playing "Invercargill" (Lithgow) and "The Secret Mask" (Zamiatnik); and the Lawson and Fillmore bands. The Bethany, Smithtown, Patonsburg, Jameson and Rushville bands received No. 3 ratings. Sheridan and Stewartsville received No. 4 placings.

The Benton orchestra received a No. 2 placing. They played "Petite Suite de Ballet" and "Meadowlands."

Low Voice Contest  
The other evening event was the boy's low voice contest in which there were three No. 1 ratings. They were Robert Tebow, Maryville, who sang "The People That Walked in Darkness" (Handel) and "Tell Me Not of a Lovely Lass" (Forsyth); Charles Gelwitz, Central High of St. Joseph, who presented "Invictus" (Huhn) and Gene Austin of Cameron, who sang "Dedication."

No. 2 ratings were received by Jack Rodgett, Jameson; M. C. Boydston, Edgerton; Donald Stubbs, Camden Point; Wayne Brian, Lawson; Bernard McMillen, Union Star; and Marvin Lane, Tarkio. Olin Lee Vandessie, Winston; Roger Ellis, Pickett; Pat Gibson, Albany; L. Joe Market, Oregon; Ray Burnham, Stanberry; and Hopkins received a three placing.

Piano Solos  
Eva Jean McDowell playing "Prelude in C Sharp Minor" (Rachmaninoff) and Janice Rhodes who presented "Sonata No. 3" (Beethoven), both of Maryville, took No. 1 ratings in piano solos. Gene Hartzell of Horace Mann received a No. 1 placing. He played "Clair de Lune" (Debussy). Others receiving No. 1 ratings were Barbara Hill, Tarkio; Bill Clark, Benton of St. Joseph; James Berry and Dorothy Rutledge of Central; and Bill Robertson of Grant City.

No. 2 ratings were awarded to Phyllis Steele, Albany; Carolyn Bennett and Beverly Dunlap, Cameron; Betty Lambert, Horace Mann; Eunice Vincent, Stewartsville; Mildred Stubbs, Camden Point; Beverly White, Smithville; Florence Brechenridge, Mayville; Doris Gibson, Union Star; Julia Ann Cross, Lathrop; Joyce Gray and Martha Lamar, Weston; and (Continued on page 2)

## Dr. Helen C. White to Speak at Horace Mann

Dr. Helen C. White, president of the American Association of University Women, will speak on her experiences as a member of the United States Education Mission to Germany and as one of the technical consultants on the Preparatory Commission for first general conference of the United Nations Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Organization (UNESCO), Sunday afternoon, April 27, in the Horace Mann Auditorium.

Dr. White's lecture will be open to the public. The senior women of the College will be invited as special guests and will be entertained after the lecture at a tea given for Dr. White by the local branch of AAUW at the home of President and Mrs. J. W. Jones.

Dr. White, professor of English at the University of Wisconsin, is well known as a speaker and writer.

## Veterans' Wives Plan Little City Housing Project to Become Real Home With "City Council" at Work.

Housing Project V-23114 will have a new name and a city council as a result of a meeting of the veterans' wives on March 27, in the Administration Building. Provision was also made for a committee to discuss plans for a "get acquainted" pot-luck supper. The meeting was requested by Miss Martha Locke, dean of women, to obtain an expression from the wives about plans relative to their welfare. She suggested that several points for recreation and organization be given consideration at the meeting. Mr. Harlow Neece, business manager, and Mrs. Roger Wren, the project nurse, were present to participate in the discussion.

One of the foremost problems presented was the need of a governing body. Organization is necessary to carry out plans for social programs and project standards of sanitation, beautification, and conduct. Two to five men and women will be chosen to head the council. The name will be selected at a joint meeting of veterans and wives to be held in the near future.

Mr. Neece, in answer to questions asked by the wives, said that blue grass will be used to improve the appearance of lawns and keep mud under control. He added that flowers may be planted along walks if desired and suggested that permission might be obtained from Mr. R. T. Wright, chairman of the Agriculture department, for use of a plot for gardening purposes this spring and summer. Individual painting of furniture, floors, and walls is approved. Several women asked if it were permissible to improve appearance and safety, a point which Mr. Neece promptly approved. The inquiry, "Are those garbage pails permanently located in the front yard?" brought a round of merriment. Mr. Neece quickly reassured the anxious wife that other arrangements would be made.

An urgent question considered was that of speeding drivers on the campus, especially those in the vicinity of the housing units. One-way drives near the project, signs for parking, and a speed limit are measures under consideration for the safety of both students and families on the campus. Parking at the end of each housing unit will be provided for two cars, but a large parking space at both the entrance of the housing road and at the far end of the units will solve a large part of the parking problem. Calcium powder will probably be used to aid dust control this summer.

Most of the women were delighted with the suggestion that a craft shop might be available for them and that recreation programs such as sports, dancing, and games could be set up to include them. It has been extremely difficult for many of the wives to meet each other since some attend college and others have employment. Many have (Continued on Page Three)

## Delta Sigma Epsilon Has Chapter Here

A new sorority, the Delta Sigma Epsilon, is soon to make its appearance on the campus. Thirteen girls of the College have put in a petition to the national office to form a college chapter. Their petition has been accepted, and after a waiting period they will become an active chapter of the sorority.

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The Alpha Phi chapter of Delta Sigma Epsilon, when it becomes active, will function on the campus much as the other two sororities. The prospective members have already started having weekly meetings every Wednesday night and will rush next fall.

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Of the 346 veterans who completed the winter quarter, twenty-nine were in training under Public Law 16 and 335 were training under Public Law 346.

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Those training under Public Law 346 averaged 9.4 hours credit with the following percentage grades: 10 per cent received E's; 32 per cent, S's; 43 per cent, M's; and 9 per cent, I's. The remaining 7 per cent made delayed or unsatisfactory grades.

## High School Senior Day, Annual Affair, Will Draw Many Visitors

Governor Appoints New  
Members to College Board

Governor Phil M. Donnelly has announced the appointment of two new members to the Board of Regents of the Northwest Missouri State Teachers College. They are Mr. M. E. Ford, Maryville attorney, and Mr. A. B. Kammerer, Chillicothe banker. Both will serve until January 1, 1953.

Mr. Ford succeeds Mr. E. C. Curfman of Maryville, and Mr. Kammerer succeeds Mr. M. E. Morris of Trenton.

Other members of the Board of Regents of the College are Mr. James Curry of Oregon, Mr. Alan Wherritt of Liberty, Mr. R. L. Douglas of St. Joseph, Mr. J. V. Gaddys of St. Joseph, and Mr. Hubert Wheeler, commissioner of education, Jefferson City.

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Mr. Everett Brown to Have  
Charge of Coordinating  
Programs Planned.

Date Is Monday, April 28

Day's Activities to Include Many  
Different Events—Tours,  
Dance, Programs, Tea.

With High School Senior Day scheduled for Monday, April 28, all preparations at the College have virtually been completed for the entertainment of the 1,100 seniors in Northwest Missouri expected to be on the campus at that time.

Mr. Everett W. Brown, director of Field Service for the College, is in charge of all activities, assisted by a committee composed of Mrs. Ramona Canton, Miss Janet Dickey, Miss Bonnie Magill, and Mr. Sterling Surrey.

According to Mr. Brown, the program will be as follows:

9:00-10:30—During this period high school seniors will register and will take campus tours. The tours will be arranged to include displays at several points. These displays, which are to be presented by various departments, will include such activities as swimming and boxing at the gymnasium; teaching demonstrations at Horace Mann School; and Industrial Arts exhibits at the Industrial Arts building. The guide personnel will be provided by the student body.

10:30-11:45—This program will open with a call to order in the College Auditorium, followed by greetings from President J. W. Jones. Community stunts and songs will be presented by various campus organizations, sponsored by the Student Senate.

11:45-2:00—Luncheon. Special rooms will be assigned to the student groups. There will be dancing during this time in the girls' gymnasium under the supervision of Miss Winice Ann Carruth, with the music furnished by Mr. Bradley Moore's band.

2:00-3:00—Student entertainment (Continued on Page Three)

## Handicapped People Receive Clinic Aid

Vocational Rehabilitation  
Clinic Held Here at  
Horace Mann.

Approximately forty vocationally handicapped individuals received professional aid at the Vocational Rehabilitation Clinic Day, Tuesday, April 8, at Horace Mann High School. The clinic was under the direction of Mr. Buford Garner, graduate of the College, who now holds the position of Vocational Rehabilitation Counselor of the St. Joseph office of the State Department of Vocational Rehabilitation.

After Mr. Garner had officially opened the clinic a welcome was extended to the participants by the president of the college, Dr. J. W. Jones. The purpose of the clinic was explained by Mr. Virgil E. Caldwell, supervisor, Vocational Rehabilitation Services, State Department. The members were then divided into two groups. One group received guidance in the form of general aptitude, mechanical comprehension, and preference tests. The other received a thorough medical examination. In the afternoon this procedure was reversed.

The medical examination given to the vocationally handicapped was conducted by Dr. Mantz from Kansas City, Dr. Potter from St. Joseph, and Doctors Jackson, Innes, Wallace, Baughman, and Byland from Maryville. Nurses assisting were Mrs. Alvin Wornley, Mrs. Robert Brightwell, Mrs. Roger Wren, and Mrs. E. A. Davis. Student assistance was given by Meredee Myers and Esther Gussar. A complete examination was given in an effort to determine the extent of physical ability.

Mr. Glenn Smith, director of Vocational Guidance, State Department of Education, was in charge of the testing. The tests given have proved in the past to be highly helpful in determining a person's ability toward occupation. Assisting him in the testing were Paul Gates, Bob Davis, and Cathy Nally of the college.

After conclusion of the medical examinations and tests the group made appointments on an individual basis with the counselor for a future date. At that time the results of the clinic's work with the individual will be discussed and an attempt at placement will be made.

Assisting Mr. Garner, Mr. Caldwell, and Mr. Smith were Mrs. Adeline Cross, district supervisor, Vocational Rehabilitation Services; Mr. Everett Brown, director of Extension Services at the College; Miss Lucille Whitesides, director of Public Health Nursing Services, State Department; and Mr. Fred O. Messinger, manager of Missouri Employment Service offices in Maryville.



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Calendar

April 17, Thursday—  
W. A. A.—7:00-8:00, Room 113.  
F. T. A.—8:00-9:00, Den.  
Veterans' Potluck Supper—6:00-10:00, Den.  
H. M. Senior Play Dress Rehearsal—7:00-10:00, Horace Mann.  
Dramatics Club—4:00, Auditorium.  
April 18, Friday—  
Horace Mann Senior Play—7:00-10:00, Horace Mann.  
April 19, Saturday—  
Alpha, Sig Informal—9:00-12:00, Country Club.  
April 20, Sunday—  
Tri Sig Founders Day Banquet—6:30, Country Club.  
April 21, Monday—  
String Ensemble—7:00, Room 205.  
I. R. C.—7:00-8:00, Den.  
S. C. A.—8:00-9:00, Den.  
Dramatics Club—4:00-7:30, Auditorium.  
Home Economics Club—7:30, Home Economics House.  
April 22, Tuesday—  
Dance Club—7:00, Room 113.  
Senate Meeting—6:45, Den.  
April 23, Wednesday—  
Dramatics Club—4:00, Room 103.  
Independent Meeting—7:00, Room 114.  
Sigma Tau Meeting—7:30, Den.  
Varsity, Villager Council—7:00, Room 103.  
County Spring Festival Rehearsal 1:00-4:00, Auditorium.  
Phi Sig Meeting—7:15, 614 W. 2nd.  
April 24, Thursday—  
W. A. A.—7:00-8:30, Room 113.  
Horace Mann Parents Night—8:30-10:30, Auditorium.  
April 25, Friday—  
County Spring Festival—8:00-10:30, Auditorium.  
Residence Hall Open House—8:00-12:00.  
A. A. U. P.—Dream Kitchen.  
April 26, Saturday—  
Sigma Tau Spring Formal—9:00-1:00, Country Club.  
W. A. A. State Conference.  
April 27, Sunday—  
A. A. U. W.—3:00, Horace Mann Auditorium.  
April 28, Monday—  
String Ensemble—7:00, Room 205.  
Newman Club—7:30, Room 207.  
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A. A. U. W.

What Your Senate Does

OFFICERS

Robert Davis—President  
Janet Drennan—Vice-President  
Mary Garrett—Secretary  
Joan Miller—Treasurer

Business Meeting, April 8

The meeting was opened by the president. Roll was called and the minutes of the previous meeting read and approved.

A treasury report disclosed a balance of \$468.64.

A motion was made and carried that the Senate pay the Tower \$10 for a page in the 1947 book.

A motion was made and carried that all three-term senators be given senate keys. It was suggested that Dr. Harr's name be added to those of the senators.

Senators Harold Johnson, Dick Leet and Bill Elam were appointed

to act as a committee to draw up suggestions concerning repairs, dry cleaning, and new equipment for the Den. Mr. Wright was authorized to inquire into obtaining new chairs for the Lounge.

In reference to the motion on March, concerning the request of Sigma Sigma Sigma sorority to sell name stickers, the Senate re-approved the sale subject to the approval of the president of the College. ("Student Handbook," Art. 10, Sec. II, part 5, p. 19).

A motion was made and seconded that the meeting be adjourned. Motion carried.

Library Receives Three New Books on Judaism

The Jewish Chautauqua Society of Cincinnati, Ohio, has informed Miss Lucille Brumbaugh, acting College librarian, that it is prepared to send the College library eight volumes of books on Judaism three times a year. One shipment of these books arrived in the early fall at the beginning of school. The second donation, consisting of the following books, arrived in the early part of March: "The Jewish Contribution to Civilization" by Cecil Roth, "The Jewish Prophets" by Harry L. Comins, Ph. D., and "History of the Jews" (6 volumes) by Heinrich Graetz.

Once each year the Jewish Chautauqua Society sends a Jewish rabbi to speak in the assembly. A recent assembly brought Rabbi A. Gordon to this campus.

The circulation of the literature and the provision for a lecturer are for the purpose of stimulating good will and promoting a better understanding of the Jewish problems and Jewish contributions to the world. Many of these books are among the greater literature of the day and should be found quite interesting and thought-provoking.

Library Assistants Have Many Responsibilities

Duties of library assistants are numerous. Responsibility for checking books, magazines, and newspapers in and out of the library is only part of the assistants' work. Other duties include helping the acting librarian, Miss Lucille Brumbaugh, in her office and in keeping the library files up to date.

At present, assistants at the library include three students: Janice Bentall, Shenandoah, Iowa; Jean Eush, Maryville; and Margaret Putman, Bedford, Iowa. Other assistants are Mrs. Hubert Garrett, Maryville, and Mrs. Joyce Pick, Sheboygan, Wisconsin. Mrs. Garrett has charge of all files.

The evening supervisor at the library is Mr. C. E. Wells, librarian. Library hours are from 7:50 a. m. to 5:45 p. m. and 7:30 p. m. to 9:30 p. m., Monday through Friday. Saturday hours are from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Professor Dismisses His Class for Eight Weeks

STEPHENVILLE, Texas —(ACP)—What if your professor dismissed class with this parting remark: "Take off for about eight weeks and bring me back a few thousand dollars?" Students in the "Life Insurance Marketing" course at TCU do just that. Only they don't exactly bring back a few thousand dollars—however they do underwrite insurance prospects to that amount. Champion at this homework is a member who chalked up total sales of \$115,812.

College Students Study Shelley by Moonlight

PORTLAND, Ore. —(ACP)—Reading Shelley by moonlight is not a sign of insanity, demonstrated students of Reed College last week in a protest to the arrest of Thomas Kelley, picked up by the police as he sat on a campus bench the previous night reading poetry by the light of the moon. He was booked on "suspicion."

Friends said the 26 year-old disabled veteran of the Aleutian campaign was "crushed" by a 12-hour stay in jail. So students massed on a street corner reading poetry aloud by moonlight the following night—Portland's quietest demonstration in history.

A police patrol car approached several times, but did not stop.

Student Wishes to Raise His Grade Down at the University of Texas, a student in one beginning reporting class struggled with a wedding story. He didn't know much about it. And when the story was returned to him with a grade of F minus, the student decided it was time for a conference with the instructor.

"Mr. French," he started, "this is terrible. I have never made an F minus like this before. I'm ashamed of myself. Isn't there something I can do to bring it up to an F?"

Health Department

Attention G. I.'s:

We know that you are very tired of physical examinations. However, you must understand that the physical examination you had in the service is of absolutely no value to our records. Any examination you are required to undergo here at the College is for your own protection as well as for the protection of your associates. So please make the best of the matter. Come to the health office, get it over, and forget about it.

The deadline for physical examinations is April 30. Members of the student body who have not had their physicals should take care of this matter immediately.

Plans are being made for next year's health program. Suggestions for improvement of the present program will be welcomed by the Health department.

WELCOME

We take pleasure in announcing the addition of a new member to the Health department staff—Mrs. Roger Wren, R. N. Mrs. Wren is in charge of the health program in the veterans' housing units. Her office, as well as her home, is in Housing Unit 1. All families living in the units are urged to take advantage of any help Mrs. Wren can give.

Inquiring Reporter

Interviews with faculty and students produced a variety of opinions relative to the proposed numbered system of parking cars on the campus whereby every driver would have a particular space for his own use.

J. R. CARPENTER, senior student. "The desirability or merit of a numbered system of parking for faculty and students depends largely on the need of the individuals involved and the method of allocating the desirable parking space. The plan sounds somewhat like regimentation. More emphasis should be placed on the proper manner of parking."

Mr. DONALD M. VALK, head of the Industrial Arts department. "It would seem that if ample space was provided for parking in various strategic locations with reference to building use or the number of people going to those buildings, the definite parking spaces would not be necessary."

"Because of the desire of people to park their cars in various locations on the campus, which often change from one quarter to the other, it would seem that the book-keeping involved would be quite a problem."

Mr. H. D. PETERSON, of the Athletic department.

"I would prefer the 'first come, first served' system. If there is no preference shown in the manner of selection, the assigning of individual spaces might not be objectionable."

DONALD LYLE, sophomore.

"A fine idea for those who drive regularly, but for those who drive part time there is the problem presented by vacant parking spaces that could be used by regular drivers. If numbers are given, they should give the best locations to the regular drivers."

JOE WHITAKER, senior.

"I am afraid that such a system would leave a lot of unused parking space. For example, I drive to school twice a week and someone else could not use my space for the rest of the week."

Mr. LESLIE G. SOMERVILLE, vocational counselor.

"I approve because it would be something that had to be depended upon. If I had to make a trip to town for supplies, I would have a parking place when I returned."

JOHN HENGGLER, junior.

"I do not care for the assignment of specific parking spaces. It would be all right to designate an area to the faculty members, but otherwise I feel that the 'first come, first served' method is more typically the American way of doing things."

Mr. J. G. STRONG, head of chemistry department.

"The first requisite in regard to the parking problem is a suitable parking area free from mud. All of my work is in the Administration building, and I should hate to be assigned to a lot by the Industrial Arts building or by the Gymnasium."

How many million Aprils came Before I ever knew

How white a cherry bough could be, A bed of squills, how blue!

—Sara Teasdale

NEW LIBRARY BOOKS

1. East River Sholem Asch
2. Pavillon of Women Pearl S. Buck
3. This Side of Innocence Taylor Caldwell
4. Deborah Deborah
5. Mountain Time Bernard DeVoto
6. Toll of the Brave Inglis Fletcher
7. The Thresher Herbert Kruse
8. The Sudden Guest Christopher La Farge
9. Double Wedding Ring Josephine Lawrence
10. B. F.'s Daughter John P. Marquand
11. The Bounty Trilogy Charles Nordhoff and James Norman Hall
12. Animal Farm George Orwell
13. Lydia Bailey Kenneth Roberts
14. The Walls of Jericho Paul I. Wellman

Musical Program Provides Grand Finale for High School Contests

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nic Bowles, Parkville; and Fairfax.

No. 3 placings were received by Jeannette Newman, Albany; Eileen Leaverton, Benton; Frances Ann Richards, Jameson; Frances Rose Schildknecht, Rosendale; Mildred Hanner, Fillmore; Shirley Evans, King City; Kathleen Ward, Pattonsburg; Dorothy Sommer, Oregon; Helen Gaiser, Platte City; and Stanberry and Craig.

No. 4 ratings were given to Margie Ann Ketchum of Clarkesdale and Lucille Lowrance of Graham.

High Voice Contest

There were seven No. 1 ratings awarded to contestants in the girl's high voice contest. These girls were Vivian Black, Maryville, who sang "Villanelle" (Aqua); Jo Ann Bakyr, Stanberry, who sang "The Violet" (Schubert) and "Consols a Nina" (Weckerlin); Phyllis Steele, Albany, who presented "Down in the Forest" (Ronald); Carol Boydson, Pattonsburg, singing "Into the Night" (Edwards) and "Spring's Awakening" (Sanderson); Marilyn Kenna, Cameron, singing "Fairy Bark" (Ware); Joan Harrington, Central, who sang "Waggoner" (Brahms) and "Yesterday and Today" (Spross); and Genevieve Knapp, Central, who sang "O Love-ly Night" (Ronald) and "A Birthday" (Woodman).

No. 2 ratings for girl's high voice were awarded to Vera Swing, Bethany; Jackie Rupe, Gower; Betty Ann Glenn, Lawson; Roc Anna Bellinger, Winston; Anna Banker, Benton; Janet Evans, Tarkio; Shirley Davis, Maryville; and Darlene Pitts, Cameron.

No. 3 ratings were received by Beverly Campbell, Benton; Joyce Wright, Hopkins; Dorothy Winston, Platte City; Myrna Morris, Union Star; Lorene Hanson, Parkville; Betty Lou Cole, Rosendale; Lavada Blake, Edgerton; Mildred Stubbs, Camden Point; Norma McElfresh, Rushville; Beverly Snipes, Martinsville; Norma Jean Donner, Jameson; Delores Davidson, Fillmore; Marjorie Harper, Forest City; and Rita Barnes, Albany.

Janet Fuellegraf of Pickett and Beverly Harvey of Blythedale received No. 4 placings.

Medium Voice Contest

Sue Lechler of Central, Shirley Walker of Bethany, and Barbara Kelly of Gower received No. 1 ratings for girl's medium voice. Miss Lechler sang "Dawn Awakes" (Braisle) and "Prelude" (Ronald); Miss Walker presented "Spirit Flowers" (Campbell-Tipton) and "The Little Damsel" (Novello); and Miss Kelly sang "I Heard a Forest Praying" (DeRose).

Bette Davis, Central; Margaret Bowes, Fairfax; and Betty Freeman, Hopkins were given No. 2 ratings. No. 3 placings were awarded to Frances Richards, Jameson; Jeanna Bittiker, Oregon; Anna Boydson, Edgerton; Martha McClain, Camden Point; Janice Hillel, Winston; Shirley Brown, Lawson; Marie Hollingsworth, Parkville; Eva Jean McDowell, Maryville; Patricia Wilson, Albany; Mary Virginia Scott, Maryville; Ida Homan, Albion; and Ruth Burns, Graham.

Virginia Lovett, Blythedale; Margie Ann Ketchum, Clarkesdale; and Juanita Hon, Platte City got No. 4 ratings.

Low Voice Contest

Bonnie Templin, Central, sang "One Who Has Yearn'd Alone" (Tschalkovsky) and Dorothy Garrou, Benton sang "I Know a Lovely Garden" (D'Hardelot) and "O Rest in the Lord" (Mendelssohn). Both girls took 1 ratings in the girl's low voice contest.

No. 2 ratings were awarded to Marilyn Shackelford, Central; Louise Graves, Gower; Helen Wells, Platte City; and Lois Easton, Bethany. No. 3 ratings were given to Kathleen Headrick, Maryville; Ruth Grace, Lawson; Betty Weyer, Pickett; Alice White, Rosendale; Laura Newman, Edgerton; and Marilyn Jackson, Camden.

Virginia Hise, Albany; Oloha Munn, Winston; and Betty Boydson, Camden Point received No. 4 placings.

Boy's High Voice Contest

Donald Leet of Camden, who sang "The Lord's Prayer" (Mal-

Poet's Corner

Salut au Maryville

What do you hear, William Taff?

I hear the undecided breezes of winter and spring,  
I hear happy birds in the trees, their voices bursting,  
I hear joyful children in the school yards as they play,  
I hear the hum of the factory motors as they drive the tools,  
I hear the far distant whistle of the on-coming train as it enters a neighboring town,  
I hear the cars, both old and new, as they busy the inviting streets,  
I hear the sales clerk as he prices various articles for the shopper,  
I hear the striking of the town clock as its gong resounds over the town,  
I hear the noon whistle which summons the worker to his meal,  
I hear the bell of the cash register as it rings up the amount of a purchase,  
I hear the music on the radio as it follows the storyment of a famous shortening, preceding the daily visit it accompanies,  
I hear the students as they busy the halls at the college between classes,  
I hear the voices of the teachers as they lecture to the students,  
I hear the chimes in the church tower and they welcome me and say, "Come and enter and worship God."

What do you see, William Taff?

I see small birds flying swiftly from tree to tree in search of a mate and a tree in which to nest,  
I see small children as they pour out their energy at happy play,  
I see the smoke of the chimney as it floats o'er the town bearing the symbol of intense heat from within to heat a home or furnish power for the factory or plant,  
I see the locomotive as it pulls its many cars to a stop at the station,  
I see the great bus as it drearly starts its occupants on a distant journey,  
I see the cars, both old and new, as they hurry to and from town,  
I see the shoppers on the streets as they brave the chill wind and hurry from store to store,  
I see from town the surrounding country sides as they seem to rest in wait for a bountiful and busy growing season,  
I see the large trucks as they bear the livestock within to the market,  
I see the beauty of the buildings, the churches whose towers reach upward to Heaven,  
I see the home, the outward peaceful look which bears the signs of peace and contentment and happiness within.  
I see the College which says, "I am busy educating young minds."

All these things I see and many more and they tell me, "We too, belong to you and you to us. All together, we are Maryville."

lotte) and Chester Hill, Camden Point, who sang "Beloved It Is Morn" (Oylword) received "No. 1 ratings for the boy's high voice contest. William Nance, Stanberry got a 2 rating.

Raymond McPhetans, Agency; Milton Yeakley, Central; and Richard Brand, Hopkins won No. 1 ratings for boy's medium voice. They sang "The Holy City" (Adams), "Where Ere You Walk" (Hendel), and "Invictus" (Wuik), respectively. No. 2 ratings were awarded to Neddy James, Albany; John Andrews, Blythedale; Dee Lippincott, Stanberry; and Richard Miller, Camden Point. No. 3 ratings were received by Warren Harman, Stewartville; Joe Grace, Lawson; Charles Kneale, New Point; and Bob Guere, Sheridan.

No. 2 ratings were awarded to Cameron, Maryville, Mound City, and Edgerton. No. 3 placings were given to Oregon, Smithville, Stanberry, and Maysville, Fillmore, Platte City, Pattonsburg, Parkville, and Lawson received No. 4 ratings.

The boy's glee clubs were rated as follows: No. 3, Camden Point; No. 4, Parkville, Pattonsburg, and Oregon; No. 5, Platte City.

Various Ensembles

Various instrumental ensembles were entered in the contests including cornet duets, Agency, 3; Fillmore 2; cornet quartet, Stewartville, 4; cornet trios, Mound City, 1; Lawson, 2; and Stanberry, Fillmore, and Cameron 3; brass quartets, Benton, 1, and Cameron, 2; and brass sextets, Mound City, 3, and Oregon, 4; clarinet sextet, Cameron, 3; saxophone quartet, Cameron, 3; saxophone trio, Stewartville, 4; woodwind trio, Stanberry, 3; clarinet trio, Cameron, 3; clarinet quartet, Benton, 2; mixed quartets, Winston, 3, and Blythedale, 4; mixed double quartet, Mound City, 2, and Hopkins, 3.

Cornet Solos

Jack Green, Oregon, who played "Sounds From the Hudson" (Clarke), Ruth Grace, Lawson, and Marvin Alberts, Central received 1 ratings for their cornet solos. No. 2 placings were awarded to Jack Clark, Cameron; T. L. Brown, Mound City; Dick Tomlinson, Rushville; Marvin Hodge, Union Star, and Robert Stuber, Central. No. 3 ratings were given to Bill Mack, Savannah; Henry Totzke, Cameron; Alan Maple, Stanberry; Janet Meadows, Pattonsburg, Agency; and Craig; and No. 4 ratings to Ruth Ann Hidy, Stewartville.

Clarinet Awards

The clarinet awards were as follows: No. 2, Ernest Ray, Benton; Johnnie Wallace, Maryville; and Phyllis Phillips, Stanberry; No. 3, Margie Jenkins, Cameron, and Gloria Gillis, Mound City; No. 4, Kathleen Petteper, Benton; Pat Chenoweth, Albany; Connie Colvert, Platte City; Patsy Moss, Lawson; Marion Sherer, Grant City; and Marian Jean Hidy, Stewartville.

Oregon and Benton quartets received No. 2 placings.

Instrumental Solos

The flute solos were rated as follows: Joe Grace, Lawson, 3; Jo Anne Holybee, Platte City and Alice Wharton, Stanberry, 4. Shirley Brown received a 4 on her Eb clarinet solo, James Blathsood of Central got a 2 rating on his bassoon solo.

Marva Reynolds, Maryville, 2; Patsy Moss, Lawson, and Evelyn Warford, Pattonsburg, 3; Dooley George, Platte City, 4; and Bob Meade, Benton, 5; were the ratings on the alto saxophone.

Tenor saxophone placings were Johnnie Wallace, Maryville, 2; Patricia Burton, Stanberry, 3; and Marion Williams, Smithville, 4. Wendell

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WHO IS SMOE?



I have never met the gentleman, but I am sure that he is not the fellow who digs chuck holes in the temporary surfaces of the college roads, or parks his car on sidewalks in muddy weather. He is not the fellow who roars on to the campus at five minutes until nine and skids to a stop in the newest driveway, or is he the fellow who goes to the chiropractor once a week to have his shock-absorbers put back in place after flying low over bump roads.

We may not know Smoe, but we do know that fast and careless driving on the campus is no longer confined to those few rugged individualists who have little or no respect for life or property. Taxi drivers, visitors, faculty, and students have developed fast-driving habits not to be desired on campus grounds.

G. I. wives living in the housing units have made strenuous objections to the dust raised by thoughtless drivers, and a few have ventured to suggest that they were somewhat concerned over the safety of their small children playing in the spring sunshine.

There seems to be something about the college drives that creates the desire to "speed-up." Drivers in general have yielded to that desire so frequently that they are unaware of the actual speed at which they travel. It is more to the credit of luck than of good driving that no accidents have been reported on the campus.

It has been suggested that obstructions be erected at various places in the drives to reduce the speed of driving. It may truthfully be said that the college drives are rough enough without additional planned pitfalls, but fast acceleration, screeching U-turns, and parking on the siding might be termed deliberate destruction of the roadbed.

Speed control is a baffling problem. State highway departments have developed a complex system of laws, signs, and law enforcement, and they are still plagued with an alarming number of accidents resulting from careless and fast driving. The best traffic cop is the driver, disciplining himself to be master of the car he drives rather than a slave of the power under the hood. It is a simple matter to discipline oneself by judging speed by the speedometer rather than by driving at speeds that "feel" safe. Before passing a car on the campus, one should check his speed. Twenty miles an hour is fast enough, according to the report of a taxi driver in an actual test to determine safe driving speeds on campus grounds.

Plans are in progress to provide protection for the children of the housing units by the creation of a one-way traffic lane on the north side of the project. The area between the administration building and the apartments will be graveled and marked off into parking spaces.

There has been some agitation for improved parking conditions, motivated primarily by the mud of the spring thaw. Personally, I would like to agitate the palooka that parks on the sidewalk and makes me tiptoe around his car in the soft ooze. It is encouraging to note that a survey is in progress to determine what steps can be taken to improve parking conditions.

It is not quite so simple as just hauling in a few hundred loads of gravel and marking off the areas to be used for parking. There are certain times during the day when everyone wants to park on the lots closest to the administration building. When the available space is used up, many late-comers make new parking places in the driveways or on the soft shoulder of the area. This stretching of available parking area not only scatters the gravel but mixes fresh dirt with the gravel. With the first rain, the parking lot becomes a mud hole. If the students and faculty of the school want decent parking places that will help them to reach the administration building with dry feet, they will have to work out a solution to their common desire to concentrate and super-saturate the choice parking spaces.

One suggestion has been offered which will cope with the problem of decentralizing the use of available parking areas. In brief the plan calls for marking and numbering individual parking spaces. Those who wish to drive cars would then register for a certain space for their own exclusive use.

No one is opposed to the marking off of the parking spaces or the resurfacing of the parking areas, but there is objection by some to the assignment of any specific parking space. They fail to see how the numbers would be of benefit to the parking problem.

To me, the attempt to park sixty cars in an area which is intended to serve forty cars is like trying to put a gallon and a half of molasses into a gallon bucket. Try it and you are going to have a mess, and even Smoe dislikes messes.

—Walter C. Patterson.



# [ Social Activities ]

## Harold Hall Becomes New President of Phi Sigma

Harold Hall, of Wilcox, was elected president of the Phi Sigma Epsilon social fraternity at the regular business meeting on Wednesday night, April 2. Mr. Hall has been an active member of the fraternity since 1942, holding the office of treasurer during the past year. He has also been a member of the College band, orchestra, chorus, and Veterans' Club. His major is music and his minor, speech. He served three years with the Army in the Pacific Theater.

Other officers elected at the meeting were Fred Davis, St. Joseph, vice-president; Brooks Wade, Galatin, secretary; Jack Summers, Smithville, treasurer; Arthur "Knob" Walsh, Chicago, Illinois, pledge-master; John Shell, Maloy, Iowa, corresponding secretary; and Bob Wilson, Grant City, historian.

Retiring officers are Bill Vest, Farragut, Iowa, president; Arthur Anderson, Payne, Iowa, vice-president; Gaylord Coleman, Perry, Iowa, secretary; Harold Hall, Wilcox, treasurer; Harvey Lund, Fords, New Jersey, and Kenny Lepley, Maloy, Iowa, pledge-masters; Dick Leet, Maryville, corresponding secretary; and Harold Ashbaugh, Shenandoah, Iowa, historian.

## Veterans and Wives Have Potluck Supper

Veterans and their wives who live on the campus will hold a potluck supper tomorrow night, April 17, at six o'clock in the Bearcats' Den. Entertainment is being planned so that occupants of the village can become better acquainted. After supper there will be dancing, cards, and games.

Invited guests will be President and Mrs. J. W. Jones, Dean and Mrs. M. C. Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Harold V. Neece, and Miss Martha Locke.

The general committee in charge of planning the supper consists of Mrs. William Cochran, Mrs. Gene Polk, and Mrs. Roger Wren. In charge of invitations are Mrs. James McKinstry, Mrs. Max Underwood, and Mrs. William Taff. Mrs. Elwyn Brown, Mrs. Vernon Weidmaier, and Mrs. Raymond Nally compose the program committee. In charge of food and coffee are Mrs. Walter Patterson, Mrs. Carl Christy, Mrs. Bruce Peters, Mrs. Errol Myers and Mrs. William Elliott. Mrs. Howard Glavin and Mrs. Jack Haun are the cleanup committee.

The potluck supper may well lead to various entertainments for the small community behind the Administration building.

## Mary Garrett Will Help Install New Chapter

Mary Garrett, who recently took office as president of the Alpha Epsilon chapter of Sigma Sigma Sigma, has been selected as one of the team to go to Greeley, Colorado, to help re-activate the Iota chapter of the sorority. The ceremonies will be held April 18-20.

Miss Garrett is planning to fly from Kansas City to Denver on April 17. She will return either the following Sunday or Monday. A group of four or five girls from various states will act as the installation team and will be headed by Mrs. Troy Cartwright, national treasurer. A formal banquet and reception are planned as a part of the activities.

## Dr. Ruth Lowery Will Be Honored in St. Joseph

Dr. Ruth Lowery, a former member of the English faculty, will be honored at the Silver Anniversary dinner of the A. A. U. W. in St. Joseph, Friday, April 25. Dr. Lowery has written a history of the Missouri Division of the A. A. U. W.

Dr. Blanche Dow, chairman of the Foreign Language department, will speak at the dinner. Her subject will be "Many Happy Returns."

## College Weddings

### Anderson-Scruby

Miss Shirley Maxine Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Anderson of Maryville, was united in marriage to Charles Calvin Scruby, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Scruby of Oakridge, Oregon, at the Methodist Church in Maryville at 8 o'clock Saturday evening. The Rev. R. B. Holliday, pastor, officiated at the double ring ceremony.

Mrs. J. W. Hake, organist, played the nuptial music. Miss Mary Ellen Hamilton was soloist.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She was attired in a white gabardine suit fashioned with a peplum back, belted jacket, and silver buttons. She wore navy blue accessories and carried a bride's fan made of pink rapture roses, pink carnations, snapdragons and sweet peas.

Miss Dorothy Anderson, sister of the bride, was maid-of-honor. She wore a peach colored suit with brown and blue accessories.

Eugene Fortler, Denver, Colorado, served as best man.

The bride is a graduate of the College where she was a member of Alpha Sigma Alpha sorority and the Green and White Peppers.

Mr. Scruby is now studying pre-engineering at the College. He served in the army for three years. Mr. and Mrs. Scruby are living in Apartment 8-2 at the College.

### Holbrook-Palmer

Miss Lenore Holbrook, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lorin Holbrook of Oregon, became the bride of Marvin Palmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Palmer of Maryville, in a ceremony performed Wednesday afternoon, March 19, at the home of the bride. The Rev. D. Franklin Kohl read the nuptial rite before a background of gladioli, snapdragons, ferns and palms.

Mrs. Thomas Kreek played the nuptial music. Preceding the ceremony Miss Margaret Fisher sang "Till the End of Time" and "Because."

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a rose pink dress with black accessories. Her corsage was an orchid.

Miss Ruth Holbrook, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. She was attired in a grey crepe dress, and her corsage was of pink carnations.

Wendall Palmer, brother of the bridegroom, acted as best man.

The bridegroom served two and one-half years in the United States Navy. The bride is a recent student at the College.

### Jay-Ruckman

Miss Marilyn Jay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Austen E. Jay of Grant City, was united in marriage to Alton N. Ruckman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Ruckman of Denver, Saturday evening, March 15, at 8 o'clock in the Methodist Church at Denver. The Rev. Ted J. Masters of Grant City officiated.

Mr. Billy Allen Robertson of Grant City played "Because" and Wade Henderson sang "I Love You Truly" accompanied by Mrs. Gordon Murray.

The bride was attired in a dusty blue gabardine suit with black accessories. She wore a corsage of pink carnations and carried a white Bible.

Miss Joan Jay, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. Mr. Galen L. Ruckman, brother of the groom, acted as best man.

The bride is a former student of the College and the groom is attending school here at the present time. He served with the Army in the European theater of occupation.

### Custis-Runnels

Miss Lois Custis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Custis of Cherokee, Iowa, became the bride of Robert Runnels, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Runnels of Pickering, Wednesday, April 2. The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Hempstead at the Methodist church in Clinton, Iowa.

The bride wore a powder blue dressmaker suit with navy blue accessories. Her corsage was of yellow daisies and white snapdragons.

## Tri Sigs Make Plans for Founders Day Banquet

Sigma Sigma Sigma will be forty-nine years old April 20. The Alpha Epsilon chapter is planning to celebrate Founders Day by having a formal dinner at the Country Club. Mothers of the members will be invited guests.

Clara Judson has been appointed general chairman in charge of the banquet. Other chairmen of committees are as follows: Rachel Robinson, invitations; Janie Huitt, program; Jean Polsley, nut cups; and Virginia Snowberger, place cards.

Mr. Runnels is a graduate of the College and served three years in the army.

Mr. and Mrs. Runnels are residing at 508 South Avenue, South Clinton, Iowa.

### Killman-Fine

Miss Helen Darlene Killman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Killman of Sheridan, became the bride of Eldon A. Fine, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fine of New Market, Iowa, at 8 o'clock Thursday, March 20, at the home of the bride's parents. The Rev. Elba Martin, pastor of the Hopkins Christian Church, read the double ring ceremony.

The bride wore a two-piece dress of blue wool with black accessories. Her corsage was of red roses.

Miss Florene Lacy, Bedford, Iowa, cousin of the bride, was her attendant. Francis Potter, New Market, was best man.

Mrs. Fine attended the College and is now teaching in the Bedford school system.

Mr. and Mrs. Fine have made their home on a farm near New Market.

### Lawrence-Keever

Miss Lois Jean Lawrence, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Lawrence of Maryville was united in marriage to Nelson Keever, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Keever of Maryville, at the Methodist church at 2:00 o'clock Saturday afternoon, April 5. The Rev. R. B. Holliday performed the double ring ceremony.

The bride wore an amber gabardine suit with dark brown accessories and a corsage of gardenias.

Miss Irene Keever, sister of the bridegroom, was bridesmaid. She wore a gold dress with brown accessories and a corsage of white carnations.

Wendell Livengood served as best man.

Mrs. Keever is a former student of the College. Mr. Keever served 18 months in the armed forces.

They are residing in Chadwick, Illinois, where Mr. Keever is employed.

### Brady-Crockett

Miss La Verna Brady, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Brady of Dundee Hills, North Kansas City, became the bride of Ursie Crockett, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Ursie Crockett of Maryville, at 7 o'clock Friday, April 4, at the home of the Rev. G. L. Prather of Kansas City.

The couple was attended by Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Lucas of Kansas City. Mr. Crockett is a former student of the College and is a member of the Phi Sigma Epsilon social fraternity.

Mr. and Mrs. Crockett are living in Kansas City where Mr. Crockett is employed.

### Matter-Vaughn

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Matter of Osborn announce the marriage of their daughter, Evelyn, to Howard Vaughn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Vaughn of Maryville. The Reverend E. O. Bayse read the nuptial rite.

Meredee Myers, a student in the College, was the maid of honor, and Mr. Warren Vaughn was his brother's best man. Miss Mary Lou Vaughn, the bridegroom's sister, lighted the tapers, and Miss Laura Henry, cousin of the bride, played nuptial music. Glenn Dyer, the bride's nephew, was ringbearer.

Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn will live in St. Joseph.

### Shipp-Stafford

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Shipp of Maryville announce the marriage of their daughter, Betty Jean, to J. Burdette Stafford, son of Mrs. Della Stafford of Kansas City. The wedding took place at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon, April 11, at the First Christian Church in Maryville. The Reverend D. Franklin Kohl read the nuptial rite.

The couple was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Vern Markham. The bride wore a blue dress with cocoa brown and sand accessories. Her corsage was of red roses and gardenias.

Mrs. Stafford, a former student of the College, was a member of the Green and White Peppers and the Northwest Missourian staff.

Mr. and Mrs. Stafford will live in Kansas City.

Dr. M. C. Cunningham, dean of the College, attended The National Education Association meeting held in Chicago from March 31 to April 3. The meetings were held at the Stevens Hotel.



The new officers of Nu chapter of Phi Sigma Epsilon, a social fraternity located on the campus of the State Teachers College at Maryville, will preside over their first meeting tonight at the fraternity's house on West Second street.

The officers shown in the chapter rooms are, left to right, Robert C. Wilson, historian, of Grant City; Jack Summers, treasurer, of Smithville; Fred Davis, vice-president, of St. Joseph; Harold Hall, president, of Wilcox; Brooks Wade, secretary, of Galatin; John Shell, corresponding secretary, of Maloy, Iowa; and Arthur Walsh, pledge master, of Chicago, Ill.

## Hall Girls to Have Open House April 25

Residence Hall will feature its last big social event of the year with open house and a dance on Friday night, April 25. Honored guests will be residents of the Quads and guests from out in town. Open house will be held from eight o'clock until nine, and dancing will proceed from nine o'clock until twelve in the dining hall. Miss Eureka Mullins, College dietitian, and Mrs. Nell Thompson, house director, will act as chaperons. Refreshments will be served.

The receiving committee will consist of Helen Richardson, Joyce Heck, Dorothy Harshaw, and Marilyn Partridge. Clean-up will be in charge of Vee Oyerly, June Pollock, and Barbara Turner. Madge Miller, Dorothy June Masters, and Mary Loyce Rockwell will be in charge of food. Decorations will be planned by Beverly Osburn, Helen Sutton, Joyce Johnson, and Betty Anderson. Irma Jensen is responsible for invitations. Music will be under the supervision of Helen Toel and Sheral Gardner. Joan Miller is social chairman.

## Dr. and Mrs. Jones Hold Reception for Veterans

President and Mrs. J. W. Jones held an informal reception at their home Tuesday night, April 8, from 8 until 10 o'clock, in honor of veterans and their wives who occupy the housing units on the campus.

Assisting President and Mrs. Jones were Dean and Mrs. M. C. Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. Harold V. Neece, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davis, and the Misses Martha Locke, Wincie Carruth, Bonnie Magill, Doris Polk, and Janet Drennan.

## Alpha Sigma Alpha Has Installation of Officers

Alpha Sigma Alpha sorority installed its officers for the year of 1947-48 on Wednesday, April 2.

Officers for the coming year are as follows: President, Dorothy June Masters; vice-president, Beverly Johnson; secretary, Marilyn Partridge; treasurer, Kathryn Krause; chaplain, Nan George; pan-hellenic representative, Darlene Strauch; registrar, Jane Bovard; historian, Marcelene Redburn; editor, Doris Jean Hamilton; and rush captain, Sue Phelps.

## Faculty Member Is Wed During Easter Vacation

Miss Elaine Lemaster, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Lemaster of Maryville, was united in marriage to John William Mauzey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mauzey of Dearborn, at the Seventh Street Methodist Church in Kansas City at 8 o'clock the evening of April 4. The Rev. J. N. Burgess, pastor, officiated.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Lemaster, Kansas City, brother and sister-in-law of the bride, were the attendants.

The bride wore a light blue gabardine suit with black accessories. Her corsage was of pink roses.

Mrs. Mauzey teaches French at the College and is sponsor of Alpha Sigma Alpha social sorority. Mr. Mauzey served 28 months in the Navy. He is now a partner in Wilson's Time and Gift Shop in Maryville.

Mr. and Mrs. Mauzey are living at 547 West Second Street.

## Foreign Girls Present Programs for Two Clubs

Alicia Casanovas, Arminia Zelanya, Anais Vernaza, and Leticia Pinzon, accompanied by Dr. Blanche Dow, chairman of the Foreign Language department, presented a program at the general school assembly in Barnard, Wednesday, March 26.

Misses Zelanya, Vernaza, and Pinzon spoke about their native countries. Miss Casanovas demonstrated some Bolivian dances.

These same girls will present a program at a dinner of the Althusa Club in St. Joseph, Tuesday, April 29.

## Miss Dykes Goes to Fort Worth, Texas

Miss Mattie M. Dykes of the English department of the College attended the convention of the National Federation of Press Women held in Fort Worth and Dallas, Texas, April 10-12. Miss Dykes, a life member of the Federation, went as one of the two delegates from Missouri. Mrs. B. J. Bliss, Jr., of Weston, former president of the Federation, was the other delegate.

Accompanying Miss Dykes to Texas was Mrs. M. E. Ford, recording secretary of the Federation. Mrs. Ford was formerly head of the English department of the College.

## Veterans' Wives Plan Little City

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small children to care for, a factor that limits leisure time to a great extent. Weekends and holidays take others away from the campus; as a result, opportunities to become acquainted are limited. As one housewife stated it, "One can't just go up to each house along the way, knock, and say, 'I'm Mrs. Blank. Who are you?'" especially without the knowledge of who will be away from home or who will be very busy or resting at that time. A calling committee to start the ball rolling is to be organized soon. Social functions in the afternoons will also be planned.

Children's playground equipment will be badly needed when the weather becomes warm and the days long, a fact which the administration has taken into consideration. Equipment is being sought, without much success to date. However, a wife volunteered the use of sandboxes, which her son had outgrown, for the younger children.

Miss Locke mentioned homemaking instruction as a possibility for the wives and stressed the fact that that Dr. June Cozine and Miss Marjory Elliott of the Home Economics department, had graciously offered to conduct classes. Dr. Cozine has suggested a plan for a two or three week canning class, which she expects to begin in May. Classes would meet twice a week and, because of the high cost of food, would be quite economical and desirable. Miss Elliott has a program in homemaking which may be given after school to all who wish to attend. These classes include foods, child care, and family relations. College credit will not be given for these special classes, however. A large home economics schedule for the summer quarter will provide such courses as Meal Service 80a, Home Management 45, Elementary Clothing 13, Home Nursing 61, Elementary Nutrition, and Home Relationships 10.

Two problems discussed were those of solicitors and sightseers. It seems that agents have been annoy-

## Tri Sigma Alumnae Are Honored Guests at Tea

Members of the Maryville alumnae chapter of Sigma Sigma Sigma were guests of the college chapter at a tea given Sunday afternoon, March 30, at the chapter house.

Pussy willows and lighted candles formed the centerpiece of the serving table. Phyllis Combs, Sheral Gardner, Lorene Jensen, and Peggy Turner poured. Mary Jane Huitt was general chairman in charge of the tea.

Guests present in addition to the alumnae were Miss Marjorie Elliott and Miss June Cozine, sponsors, and Mrs. M. C. Cunningham and Mrs. Henry Blanchard, patronesses.

ing the wives during the last few weeks, interrupting housework, and staying indefinitely. It is difficult to rid oneself of an agent, especially when sales resistance is low. Sightseers with a tremendous amount of curiosity have provoked much criticism by grouping on the campus and gazing intently at the housing and the families, even going so far as to inspect the premises at close range. Mr. Neece suggested open house so that sightseers may satisfy their curiosity, an idea which caused some amusement in the group. Nevertheless, this plan was deemed a possibility.

Several families have expressed a desire for telephone service, but it has been found that insufficient lines are available for individual use. Two pay phones, one at each end of the housing, are to be provided in the near future.

In case of emergency, Mrs. Wren has first aid equipment at hand in Apartment 1 of the two-bedroom units. Larger equipment will not arrive for some time but is on order now.

A walk from the back door of the Administration building across the housing road is badly needed because of the mud during rains. This situation will be improved soon, according to Mr. Neece, and the change will be welcomed heartily by the families in that section.

A committee of three, Mrs. Wren, Mrs. Cochrane, and Mrs. Polk, was appointed by Miss Locke to help her organize plans for the potluck supper.

Wives present at the meeting were Mrs. Roger Wren, Miss Howard Glavin, Mrs. Elwyn Brown, Mrs. Harold Parks, Mrs. Gene Polk, Mrs. Carl Christy, Mrs. Hubert Maharg, Mrs. J. R. Carpenter, Mrs. Walter Patterson, Mrs. William Cochrane, Mrs. Jack Haun, Mrs. Arch Beach, Mrs. William Elliott, and Mrs. James Jennings.

Mr. Donald N. Valk, chairman of the Industrial Arts department, has been elected chairman of Maryville's four-man Board of Public Works, Mayor Emery Airy has announced. Mr. Valk will serve one year.

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## Four Plays Win High Ratings in Contests

Maryville, Mound City, Albany and Camden Point received No. 1 ratings in the one-act plays given Thursday at the College as a part of the events of the opening day of the annual spring contests.

The Maryville high school cast presented the play "Dark Wind." Members of the cast are Patty Montgomery, Patricia Smith, Betty Joe Kokesh, Norwood Benning.

The Rev. Lawrence E. Gidley, Conception Abbey, critic, rated other high school casts as follows: Clarksdale and King City, 2; Maryville, Rushville and Hopkins, 3; and Parkville, Amity, Tarkio and Horace Mann of Maryville, 4.

Camden Point presented "Sod." Members of the cast are Donald Lee Stubbs, Shirley Ruth Ferrell, Margaret June Middleton, Herman Lee White.

The Albany play was "I Shall Be Waiting," given by Robert Paul Quinn, Pat Wilson, Jimmy Yeater, Betty Williams, Max McGinley.

Mound City's cast, consisting of Herbert Paul, T. L. Brown and Frances Brown, presented the play, "Box and Cox."

The Horace Mann play was "Have You Had Your Operation?" The cast included Jeanie Davison, Joe Ellen Wilson, Shirley Watson, Ellen Smith, Joan Hansen, Marla Garrett and Letha Shull.

Parkville presented the play "Smokescreen." Clarksdale gave "Butch," Maryville gave "Senior Freedom," Rushville gave "The True in Heart," Amity gave "Singapore Spider." Tarkio's play was "Smokescreen." King City presented "The Crippled Heart." Hopkins gave "The Jeweled Cross."

## Tri Sigma Pledges Elect New Officers

Tri Sigma pledges re-organized their group at a meeting held Wednesday night, April 9, and elected new officers for the remainder of the year. They are Helen Fisher, president; Alice White, vice-president; Madge Miller, secretary; and Betty Bakyr, treasurer.

The following girls were named chairmen of various groups by the officers: Directory chairman, Irma Jensen; rush chairman, Phyllis Combs; scrapbook collector and magazine chairman, Peggy Turner; social service chairman, Vee Oyerly; song book chairman, Lois Gordon; Triangle correspondent, Margaret Curry; and Violet Fund chairman, Jeanne Bahl.

## College Women Attend Convention

Dr. Branche Dow, chairman of the Foreign Language department; Miss Olive DeLuce, chairman of the Fine Arts department; Miss Rachael Taul, of the Social Science department; of Horace Mann High School; and Miss Stella Myers of Maryville will represent the Maryville branch of the A. A. U. W. at the national convention in Dallas, Texas, April 14-18. Dr. Dow is the representative from the College.

Dr. J. W. Jones, president of the College, attended a meeting of the North Central Association of Secondary Schools and Colleges in Chicago, March 26-28.

Mr. R. T. Kirby, superintendent of the Gallatin schools was a College visitor on Tuesday, April 8.

## Art Students Send Exhibit to College

Pleasing Examples of Art Shown by Pupils of Helen McMachen.

Art students of Lafayette High School in St. Joseph furnish a most pleasing exhibit of their work at the present time in the Art department on fourth floor of the Administration Building. The work consists of designs, sketches from the figure, finger paintings, flower studies, and landscape arrangements, both in black and white and in color.

Some of the most interesting examples are peonies in water color by Bill Bell and Lloyd Guthrie, a landscape by Lela Fisher, still life and flowers by Mart Garner and Bessie Hotchkin, surface patterns by Ann McLaugh and Jack McGinnis, and a still life by Bob Woodruff. Jean Weiss has done an attractive bird in tempera on black paper.

Two small figures done by the collage method, one by Joyce, are of particular interest. "Collage" in art means the substitution of materials, in place of painting, upon the surface of the paper or canvas. It was invented by the French modernists, and is often used in window advertising in this country. In one of the examples shown southern cotton pickers wear skirts made of cotton. In the other, a cowboy's hat has been cut from felt, his quilt made of leather, and his chaps of cotton, while the cactus in the background is also made of felt.

Miss Helen McMachen, in charge of the Art department at Lafayette High School, has received excellent training which is reflected in the work of her students. She is a graduate of New York University, which has an excellent department of Fine Arts, and has studied as well in the East under leaders in the art field, and at the Chicago Art Institute. Her special interests are in portraiture, costume, and stage design. She exhibits her work at the Saugatuck Art Center.

## High School Senior Day, Annual Affair

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program will be presented in the Auditorium. First, the play, "Ladies of the Mop," will be presented, with Opal O'Dell, Mary Clarke, Mary Ann Scholer, and Claire Wallace in the cast under the direction of Grace Jean Frisby. During this period there will also be a dance program presented by the Women's Physical Education department. In addition, various numbers by the Music department will be provided.

3:00-4:00—At this time tea, planned by Miss Martha Locke, Dean of Women, will be served in the Bearcats' Den. Guests will be senior class sponsors of the high school groups. Career conferences will be provided for the seniors by the various departments. In this way the seniors may become acquainted with the departments of their choice.

Room assignments and details of the program of the day will be given to each senior upon his arrival.

Mr. Everett Brown, director of Field Service, spoke over radio station KFEQ, St. Joseph, Saturday night, April 12, in the interest of the campaign on Cancer. Mr. Brown is chairman of the campaign in Northwest Missouri.

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Dr. M. C. Cunningham, dean of the College, attended The National Education Association meeting held in Chicago from March 31 to April 3. The meetings were held at the Stevens Hotel.



## Softball Season Is Now Beginning

### Two Leagues Are Formed For Intramural Play This Spring

Play in the intramural softball leagues is under way. A two league system is being used, with six teams in each. The National League, the stronger according to opinions of the pre-season experts, has the Phi Sigs, Glazoms, M. Club, Quad 4, Jones Boys, and Sigma Tau Whites in its fold. The American League lays claim to the Sigma Tau Greens, Gumshoes, Beggs Gunners, Kansas City Kittens, Falcons, and Friendly Farmers.

The softball regulations are listed by Director Don Peterson as posted on the bulletin board for all to see. Current softball rules will govern all games with these exceptions:

1. Length of games will be five innings. Three innings at least are necessary to constitute a game, unless one team is ahead of its opponents by fifteen or more runs. All championship and play-off games will be seven innings.

2. No player may wear any type of cleated shoe in any intramural softball game.

3. Any team that goes ahead of its opponents by fifteen or more runs will automatically win.

4. In the event of a tie score at the end of five innings, an extra inning shall be played to attempt to break the tie. If the score still remains tied, a seventh inning shall be played. Then if the tie still remains, a coin shall be tossed by the official on the field. Championship and play-off games shall be played to a decision.

5. The umpires will be chosen from all the playing teams. Each team will furnish one umpire for the game next played on the same diamond on which they played. The winning team will also furnish a scorekeeper. The umpires will rotate each full inning between base umpire and plate umpire.

6. Protest and forfeiture fees and the manner of protesting will be carried on in the same manner that basketball was handled.

7. Eligibility regulations are the same as all other intramural sports.

8. All games will start promptly at 4:15.

### Mr. Brown Is A. A. U. P. Speaker

Mr. Everett Brown, director of Field Service, discussed "In Training Service of the Teacher of Northwest Missouri" at a meeting of the Maryville branch of the A. A. U. P. Friday evening, April 4. Dr. Viola DuFrain and Dr. Irene Mueller were in charge of refreshments served at the close of the meeting.

### John Ward Speaks To S. C. A.

John Ward spoke on the subject "Great World Religions" at the regular meeting of the Student Christian Association on Monday night, April 7. Mr. Ward presented a brief description of many of the various kinds of religions.

### Club Holds Social Meeting

Members of the Intermediate Club and their sponsor, Miss Mary Keith, enjoyed a social meeting at Horace Mann School on Tuesday afternoon, April 1. Refreshments of tea, cookies, and Easter treats were served. Invited guests were intermediate teachers—Miss Anna Gorsuch, Mrs. Avis Graham, and Miss Emma DeVore, and Junior High majors—Bill Raff and Orren Miller.

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## Bruce Peters Is Elected President of "M" Club

Election of officers for the coming year held the limelight at the special meeting of the "M" Club Thursday, March 27, at the gymnasium. Creation of two new offices, those of corresponding secretary and publicity chairman, preceded the election.

Bruce Peters, junior from Creston, Iowa, was elected president. Other officers were elected by Harold Johnson, Red Oak, Iowa, vice president; Roger Wren, Kansas City, secretary-treasurer; Paul Gates, River Grove, Illinois, corresponding secretary; Howard Glavin, Maryville, publicity chairman; and Bill Gamble, Plattsburg, sergeant-at-arms. Retiring officers were Errol Myers, Loren Gutter, Paul Gates, and Tony Rizzo.

After the election of officers was completed business matters were discussed. Initiation of new letter winners was concluded last week. The new members are Pete Younger and Don Scott. Football and basketball men selected their awards for the past year, and will soon be sporting new jackets. Plans were made for a dance to be held after an intrasquad football game this spring.

### Musical Program Provides Grand Finale for Contests

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Hicks, Central, received a 1 rating for his French horn solo. He played "Concerto for French Horn" (Mozart). Jerry Hilch, Benton, got a rating of 4 on his French horn solo. Baritone solos were rated as follows: No. 1, Harold Nelson, Central; (Clarke); No. 2, Jim Phillips, Lawson; Hal Robertson, Pattonsburg; and Richard Jenkins, Cameron; No. 3, Ruth Ann Clinton, Clarksdale and Dee Lippincott, Stanberry.

Joe Markert of Oregon received a 3 on his snare drum solo. The Smithville drum ensemble was awarded a 1 rating. Beverly Pile, Oregon; Jack Mason, Bethany; and Rosalie Walker, Stanberry, 2, on baton twirling.

Jack Hurst, Central, 2; Joyce Ellis, Central, 3; and Wilma Elfrits, Benton, 4, for violin solos.

**Tuba Contests**

The tuba contests were judged as follows: No. 2, Wayne Goodknight, Benton; No. 3, J. D. Lovejoy, Pattonsburg and Joe Standsbury, Oregon; and No. 4, Wilbur Wright, Jameson.

John Duley of Stanberry, who played "Supervision" (Pryor) and Bobby Combs of Cameron, who played "Atlantic Zephyrs" (Simons) received No. 1 ratings for their trombone solos. No. 2 ratings were Bob Johnson, Bethany; Bill Bizer, Benton; and C. Demarest, Cameron; No. 3, Jimmy Padgett, Jameson.

Judges for these contests were Charles Griffith, Park College, Parkville; Gerald Carney of the University of Kansas, Jay Hutton, of Parsons College, Fairfield, Ia.; and Don Glecker, of the Topeka High school, Topeka, Kas.

Ralph Hartzell, of the local college, was the general chairman.

### Hindo Speaker Is Aware of Problems

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Still in effect is in marriage, he affirmed. A person cannot marry out of the caste into which he is born.

Dr. Sekha is well qualified to speak on the subject he chose because he is a native Indian. He is a descendant of the Brahman or priest class of India and a graduate of the University of Madras. He has a Ph. D. degree from Columbia University, with a major in economics. He taught a year at the University of Pennsylvania. At the present time, he is traveling and lecturing in the United States, with Missouri being his twenty-third state.

He is the author of numerous articles and has written a book called "India's Population, Fact and Policy," and has acted as New York correspondent for a chain of Bombay papers. He is prominently associated with the youth movement in India and has served as President of India Youth Congress. He was also a member of the Indian National Congress.

### Group Attends A. C. E. National Convention

Maryville chapter of A. C. E. sent representatives to the national convention held at Oklahoma City during the week of April 7-11. The girls left on Saturday, April 5, and spent the night in Wichita, Kansas, where they attended early services on Easter morning.

Those making the trip were Rachel Robinson, June Pollock, Peggy Turner, Clara Judson, Marceline Long, Mary Clarke, Roberta Mitchell, Arminda Zelaya, and Jeanne Bahl, students; Lois Beavers and Virginia McGinness of Keokuck, Iowa, Floydine Alexander, and Mary Ruth Espey, Maryville, former students; Miss Hannah Lou Bennett and Miss Kathryn McKee, faculty; and Miss Chloe E. Millikan, sponsor.

Ted Welchinger, William Schettler, Paul Gates, Paul Botts, and Tom Wegeng will spend Saturday in Kansas City. While in the city they will attend the showing of "Oklahoma." Also going to the city for the play are Sue Philp and Barbara Munson.

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## Bearcat Track Squad

Following is the Bearcat track squad for this year.

NAME	HOME TOWN	EVENTS
Murphy, David	Calro, Illinois	440-880-Relays
Peters, Bruce	Creston, Iowa	100-220-Field Events
Lanham, John	Auburn, Illinois	100-220-Javelin-Relays
Weston, Bob	Barnard	100-220-Relays
Cross, Gene	Benton, Iowa	220
Hendrick, G.	Maryville	1 Mile
Hoehn, Basil	St. Joseph	440-Relays
Horne, Warren	Red Oak, Iowa	100-Relays
Snodgrass, Art	Red Oak, Iowa	220-Relays
Christine, Mark	Freeport, Illinois	1 Mile
Freeman, Marion	Turkio	880-Relays
Hoegh, Ken	Atlantic, Iowa	880-Mile
Skilman, Tom	Kansas City	1 Mile-Two mile
Cotter, Burton	St. Joseph	Shot-Discus
Carey, Bob	Atlantic, Iowa	880-Relays
Morrison, Dick	Red Oak, Iowa	Pole Vault
Pemberton, Gene	Cameron	100-220-Hurdles-Relays
Waters, Paul	Atlantic, Iowa	440-880-Mile-Relays
Miller, Robert	Bedford, Iowa	1 Mile-Relays
Todd, Roger	Excelsior Springs	120-220-Hurdles
Gates, Paul	River Grove, Illinois	Javelin-High Jump-Broad Jump
Wormsley, Al	Excelsior Springs	Discus-Shot Put
Murphy, Gerald	St. Joseph	Pole Vault-Broad Jump-Relays
Johnson, Harold	Red Oak, Iowa	Shot Put-Discus
Mutli, George	Hopkins	440-880
Long, Homer	Graham	1 Mile-Two mile
Weidmaier, Vernon	St. Joseph	Field Events
Cochrane, Bill	Salina, Kansas	Shot Put-Discus
Andrews, George	Hopkins	440-High Jump
Ross, Leon	Skidmore	Pole Vault-High Jump
King, Bill	Kansas City	High Jump-Hurdles
		Javelin

## Random Shots . . .

Wilbur (Sparky) Stalcup, former basketball coach here, is in the news again. This time Stalcup is the headline in a rumor concerning a position as head basketball coach at Maryland University. The report originated in Kansas City during the recent N. C. A. A. basketball playoffs. The spectacular first season that Stalcup enjoyed at Missouri has left its imprints. If the rumor is true and if Sparky is interested in the East may find a midwesterner in their midst come next basketball season.

After several weeks of inclement weather the track squad is making the most of the sunshine and warm breezes. Handicapped by the weather, the squad was slow in getting in to condition, and as a result did not perform up to abilities in their dual meet with William Jewell.

Soft balls fill the air these even-

ings as the teams prepare for the coming intramural play. Tennis rackets stored away for the winter are finding their way to the fore, and with improvements made to the courts that sport will soon vie with the others in popularity.

Badminton singles play has been completed, and the doubles tournament is entering the final stages. Last round games produced some furious action.

Golfers are digging out their clubs in preparation for the spring sport. With a fine nine hole course nearby for their use they intend to make the most of the opportunity.

The fine showing of Dick Appleman at William Jewell proves what determination can do. Three times Dick needed three vaults to clear the bar in the pole vault competition, but on his last vault each time he came through. Paul Waters also performed well in his events.

### Play Nights at Gym End With Approach of Spring

With the approach of warm weather the increasingly popular playnights are at an end. Don Peterson, who inaugurated the evenings, announced last week that outdoor recreations will prevail until fall. Though popularity of the nights is still high, the threat of warm evenings sure to arrive soon will undoubtedly make the indoor sports so greatly appreciated during cold winter nights bow out in favor of outdoor pastimes.

Swimming, volleyball, badminton, ping-pong, dancing, and all the other sports engaged in by playnights visitors will not be forgotten. Many happy hours were spent in leisurely enjoyment of the facilities supplied by the school for the students' use.

### Alpha Phi Omega Holds Election of Officers

Raymond Basford, Maryville, and Irving Silver, Jersey City, New Jersey, were initiated into the Alpha Phi Omega fraternity, Monday, March 31.

Alpha Phi held quarterly election of officers on Monday night, April 7. Those elected to the offices are president, Gordon Bixler, Kansas City; vice-president, Ross Johnson, Stanberry; secretary, Irving Silver, Jersey City, New Jersey; treasurer, Melvin Light, Trenton, New Jersey; alumni secretary, Kenneth Bowers, Maryville; and historian, Raymond Basford, Maryville.

### Teachers of 1661 Had Many Duties

The Washington State Evergreen says that the next time your professor mentions how busy he is, remind him of the duties of a school teacher in 1661. At that time they acted as court messengers, served summonses, conducted ceremonial services of the church, led the Sunday choir, rang the bell for public worship, dug the graves, took charge of the school and performed numerous other occasional duties. And not only that, but Adam Roelandsen, one of the first school teachers in the colonies, took in washing on the side.

### Greek Student Speaks to S. C. A.

Nicholas Marinos, a student from Greece, spoke to the Student Christian Association on Monday, March 24. He talked on his belief in the basic principle of all human relationships and their worthy goal, without reference to the church as an established institution but holding in spirit the principles of Jesus Christ. Mr. Marinos discussed briefly, in answer to questions, the status and attitude of the students in Greek schools at the present time and their curriculum as compared with ours.

Earl Pope, a former student of the College, has signed a contract to play professional baseball with the Iola Cubs of the K. O. N. league. He left Maryville on Sunday, March 31, for Iola, Kansas, to begin training.

## Bearcats Lose in First Track Meet

### Appleman Is First in Two Events But Cardinals Win 79-57

Coch Ryland Milner and his track squad journeyed to William Jewell at Liberty Monday, April 6, for a dual meet with that College. William Jewell emerged victorious by a score of 79-57.

The Bearcat track squad were on even terms with the Cardinals until the distance races and field events had been completed. William Jewell won eleven first places, the Bearcats five. In addition, Jewell swept both the broad jump and javelin events.

With the running conditions improving and warmer weather seemingly here to stay the squad will be able to round into condition more easily. A soggy track and cool, rainy days have hampered conditioning and enlarged the possibilities of pulled muscles, which are most dangerous to track men.

Maryville's first places were made by Waters in the 440 yard run, and by Appleman in the pole vault and high jump. The two relay squads also won their events, the 880 yard and mile relays. The 880 yard relay squad consisted of Weston, Snodgrass, Pemberton, and Horne. The mile squad was made up of D. Murphy, Hoehn, Freeman, and Waters. In addition to his first place in the 440, Waters placed third in the 880 yard run. Weston placed second in both the 100 yard and 220 yard dashes. Ross made one point for third place in the high jump. Horne made one for third in the 100, D. Murphy three for second in the 440, Freeman three for second in the 880, Long two for third in both the mile and two mile runs, Hoegh three for second in the two mile, Todd six for second in both the 110 yard high hurdles and 220 yard low hurdles, Pemberton one for third in the 220 yard low hurdles, Wormsley four for second in the shot and third in the discus, and Cochrane one for third in the shot.

### Independents Announce Candidates for Offices

Cooperative Independent Club met at 7 o'clock, April 9, in Room 207 of the Administration Building. Candidates for the coming election to be held on April 23 were nominated. The candidates chosen are as follows: president—Clyde Bowman, John Parham, Irma Lee Hull, and Donald Lyle; vice-president—Elizabeth Thomson and Donna Martin; secretary—Dorothy Adams, Irma Lee Hull, and Norma Snyder; treasurer—Ruth Holbrook, D. E. Bowen, Bill Elam, and Bob Weston; reporter—Bill Elam, Janice Grooms, Richard Palmer, and Alice Wier; publicity agent—Jeanne Kees, Norma Snyder, Lee Dreds, and Melvin Hubbell.

An informal party will be held after the election in honor of the new officers.

### Short Wins Badminton Singles Championship

Badminton singles play ended last week with Short the victor over Hoffman. Spirited action marked the final games, especially the championship match in which top amateur style and skill came to the fore again and again. Scores of the final and all important games were 17-15, 12-15, and 15-10.

Doubles play is still in progress. Not much is known as to which team is strongest, but at this time there are the combinations of Glavin-French, Hoehn-Short, Olson-Weidmaier, and Newton-Gelst left running for the championship.

### College Campus Will Be Scene of Kite Tournament

Northwest Missouri State Teachers College is going to hold its first kite tournament. The date is May 10, at 2:00 P. M. The site is the College campus. Everyone from 6-66 is invited to attend this event, and everyone is encouraged to make an entry in one or all of the four divisions of the tournament.

The four divisions are as follows: (1) The strongest pulling kite under three and one-half (3½) pounds; (2) The most artistic kite; (3) The best bird, animal, or insect type kite; (4) The best star kite.

All entries should be made with Don Peterson, director of recreational sports, at the College gymnasium. Start to work on your kite now!

Miss Mattie M. Dykes, acting chairman of the English department, spoke to the journalism class of Maryville High School, Monday, March 24. The class is taught by Mrs. Thomas Eckert, the former Miss Opal Calvert, who is a graduate of the College.

Mr. E. F. Allison, superintendent of the Chillicothe schools, and Mr. Olin Teasley, principal of the Chillicothe high school, were visitors at the College on Wednesday, April 8.

## 1947 Football Schedule

With the exception of an open date on September 19 that is to be filled, the following is the complete football schedule for the Bearcats for 1947.	Open	To be filled.
Sept. 19	Omaha	Here
Sept. 26	William Jewell	There
Oct. 3	Rolla	Here
Oct. 10	Springfield	There
Oct. 17	Rockhurst	There
Oct. 24	Cape Girardeau	Here
Nov. 7	Kirksville	There
Nov. 15	Warrensburg	Here

### Horace Mann Nursery School Gives Carnival

Horace Mann Laboratory School was in a festive mood Friday evening, March 28, when the Early Childhood Division, nursery school to grade three, sponsored a carnival. Attendance at the gala affair reached five hundred, including children, parents, and friends.

During the evening "The Spring Follies" was presented, featuring a three act play of "Peter Rabbit." The Easter Egg Parade was very fitting for the season.

Fortune telling, side shows, and a cake walk were among the concessions which provided an evening of entertainment for the interested patrons.

Hot dogs, coffee, pie, and cold drinks were served to all who were hungry or thirsty.

### Mrs. Canton Judges Holt County Speech Festival

Mrs. Ramona Canton, chairman of the Speech department, judged the Holt County Speech Festival in Craig on March 27-28.

Schools which participated in the contests were Bellevue, Craig, Forest City, Fortescue, Maitland, Mound City, New Point, and Oregon.

### Dr. Thompson Gives Last Lenten Season Address

Newman Club members held their regular meeting on Monday evening, March 31. Father Graham of St. Patrick's parish, club chaplain, commended the group for their interest and attendance during the Lenten season and introduced Dr. Thompson, guest speaker, who gave the last address of the season. His subject was "Marriage and Divorce." Among the guests present was the Rev. Father Walter of Conception Abby.

### Two Graduates Have Compositions Published

Two graduates of the College, former members of the Writer's Club, have contributed to recent issues of literary magazines.

Miss Ada Clark, who at present teaches in Albany, wrote a poem, "Permanence," which was published in the February issue of Conquest. The poem is illustrated by a two page spread depicting the sculpture on Mount Rushmore.

Mrs. Harvey Thompson, the former Miss Elizabeth Ann Davis, contributed a poem and a prose selection to the spring number of the Rectangle, official magazine of Sigma Tau Delta.

Mrs. R. T. Wright entertained at bridge, Monday night, April 14, for Miss Francis Aldrich who will receive the Army Nurses Corps. Miss Aldrich recently completed work toward a degree at the College.

## Cueballs Are Victors in Intramural Volleyball

Play was completed in the intramural volleyball tournament at the College on Wednesday, March 26, when the undefeated Cueballs romped over Palms Playboys in the finals. The Cueballs, sparked by Manager Gene Cross and Bill Bowness, had little difficulty in winning their games. They had earlier defeated the Palms Playboys in the double elimination tournament. The latter outfit had emerged victorious in the loser's bracket to qualify for the final.

Though attendance at the games was not outstanding, the participants played spirited ball. Volleyball is a game in which the utmost attention is needed, and the lack of cheering spectators did not phase the energetic players.

Behind the first two clubs was the Bugby Brigade, and in fourth place was a sextet entitled the Gunners. The winners were awarded silver medals for their victory. Bronze medals were received by the second place Playboys.

### Mr. Ringold Speaks on Wood to A. C. E. Group

A. C. E. met Monday night, March 24, in the Industrial Arts building. Rachel Robinson presided at the business meeting. June Pollock gave a demonstration of reed weaving; Betty McDonald demonstrated the use of the jig saw; and Rachel Robinson described the measuring stand at the health office.

Mr. Ringold spoke on the kinds of wood and the virtues of each. Margaret Curry gave an exhibition on how to drive a nail. Later the group held a nail driving contest.

Helen Marie Davis explained and demonstrated the process of making a child's pull toy.

Dr. Blanche Dow, chairman of the Foreign Language department, will speak at the Annual Friendship Banquet of Women's Service Clubs in Topeka, Kansas, May 1.

February Lectures of 1947 have gone to press. They will be published in June as "Northwest Missouri State Teachers College Studies."

Arminda Zelaya, Leticia Pinzon, and Alicia Casanova presented a program at the Women's Auxiliary American Legion luncheon, in Savannah, yesterday, April 15.

Dr. Blanche Dow, chairman of the Foreign Language department, will speak on the subject "College Women—Plus or Minus," at the banquet of the Illinois division of A. A. U. W. state meetings in Decatur, Illinois, on May 9.

Odd Steinsholt, Nicholas Marinos, Mr. Joe Tolbert, and Henry Dobson spent March 22 and 23, in Independence, as a guest of Mr. Dobson and Mr. Fred Burrows. While in Independence Mr. Steinsholt and Mr. Marinos spoke to a large audience at the Second L. D. S. church about their respective home lands, Norway and Greece.

Army Will Send Two Planes

Among the mass of equipment and material authorized for a National Guard unit of the size contemplated for Maryville will be two L-5 airplanes to be used for training and observation, according to Orville Brightwell, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Croce of San Francisco, California, announce the birth of a daughter, Susan. Mrs. Croce, who is the former June Morris, graduated from the College in 1945. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Morris of Jefferson City. Mr. Morris is a retired member of the Board of Regents.

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## Veterans' News

As most veterans know, the time for reinstatement of National Life Insurance policies has been extended. Any veteran who desires to reinstate all or part of his insurance should get in touch with the Veterans Administration representative immediately. The new policy provided under this program includes six permanent insurance plans which are as follows: ordinary life, twenty-payment life, thirty-payment life, twenty-year endowment, endowment at the age of sixty, and endowment at the age of sixty-five.

In addition, National Service Life Insurance now has the advantage of allowing the veteran an unlimited choice in the selection of beneficiary and a choice of the type of settlement he desires. The veteran may also pay his premium monthly, quarterly, semi-annually, or yearly. As mentioned in the Veterans' News of February 6, National Service Life Insurance is recognized as one of the most desirable investments for the veteran.

In December, a nation-wide survey was conducted by the American Council on Education covering 132 educational institutions, including publicly and privately controlled universities, technical and professional schools, teachers colleges and normal schools, colleges of arts and science, and junior colleges. According to the survey, the monthly cost of room and board for the average student veteran is as follows: Unmarried living on campus—\$53.33, unmarried living off campus—\$105.19.

The Council also reports that it found 34.05 per cent of unmarried student veterans and 18.83 per cent of the married veterans living on the campus. Since September 1945, the Council says, costs for room and board for student veterans have increased by 25.79 per cent.

### Initiation Ceremonies Are Held

Eileen Walkup was initiated into the Sigma Sigma Sigma sorority in a ceremony held at the chapter room, Wednesday night, March 26. Five new girls became pledges later the same night. The girls are Betty Lea Anderson, Mound City; Betty Lou Bakyr, Stanberry; Madge Miller, Grant City; Mary Loyce Rockwell, Skidmore; and Alice White, Cameron.

### Kappa Omicron Phi Elects

On Monday evening, April 7, Kappa Omicron Phi elected officers for the year 1947-48. Those who will assume duties are Madge Miller, president; Marilyn Partridge, first vice-president; Mary Loyce Rockwell, second vice-president; Phyllis Butts, corresponding secretary; Irma Lee Hull, recording secretary; Patricia Straight, treasurer; Mary Lou Doran, keeper of archives; and Phyllis Combs, guard.

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